IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re A	application of:)	
KOUK	II SHIBAO	:)	Examiner: N.Y.A.
Application No.: 10/649,957			Group Art Unit: N.Y.A.
Filed: August 28, 2003		;	
For:	IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS ADMINISTRATION INFORMA- TION DISPLAY METHOD, SYSTEM, PROGRAM AND	;) ;	
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the document is also enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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